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- West North Central States lowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. 128 pp. \$8.50. GPO S/N 803-012-00014-8.
- South Atlantic States—Delaware, District of Columbia,
  Florida, Georgia, Maryland,
  North Carolina, South Carolina,
  Virginia, and West Virginia. 174
  pp. \$12. GPO S/N 803-01200015-6.
- 7. West South Central States— Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas. 100 pp. \$6. GPO S/N 803-012-00017-2.
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Purchase your Catalog/Guide from the GPO: \$21. GPO S/N 003-024-08804-5.

#### 1992 Census of Manufactures

#### MC92-A. Geographic Area Series

- Arkansas. 68 pp. \$4.25. GPO S/N 803-016-00055-1.
- 8. Delaware. 40 pp. \$3.25. GPO S/N 803-016-00059-3.
- District of Columbia. 36 pp.
   \$2.50. GPO S/N 803-016-00060 7.

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Publication Announcement No.188

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- 10. Florida. 84 pp. \$5.50. GPO S/N 803-016-00061-5.
- 15. Indiana. 96 pp. \$6.50. GPO S/N 803-016-00066-6.
- 17. Kansas. 60 pp. \$3.75. GPO S/N 803-016-00068-2.
- Missouri. 80 pp. \$5. GPO S/N 803-016-00077-1.
- 28. Nebraska. 52 pp. \$3.50. GPO S/N 803-016-00079-8.
- 41. South Carolina. 72 pp. \$4.75. GPO S/N 803-016-00092-5.

### 1992 Census of Mineral Industries

#### MIC92-A. Geographic Area Series

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- East South Central States— Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee. 52 pp. \$3.75.
   GPO S/N 803-020-00015-9.

### 1992 Census of Retail Trade [CENDATA]

#### RC92-A. Geographic Area Series

33. New York (change sheet only).6 pp. No charge. Order from Customer Services.

#### 1992 Census of Transportation, Communications, and Utilities

### TC92-CF. 1993 Commodity Flow Survey

- Single copy free. Contact: Commodity Flow Survey Branch, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233; telephone 301-457-2788 or 2114.
- 2. Alaska. 84 pp.
- 15. Indiana. 84 pp.
- 27. Montana. 84 pp.
- 31. New Jersey. 84 pp.
- 33. New York. 84 pp.

- 38. Oregon. 84 pp.
- 48. Washington. 84 pp.

#### **Current Business Reports**

- BC/94. Annual Survey of Communication Services: 1994. 72 pp. \$5. GPO S/N 003-024-08801-1.
- BR/96-3. Monthly Retail Trade: Sales and Inventories, March 1996. 48 pp. \$5.50.\* [FastFax]
- BW/96-4. Monthly Wholesale Trade: Sales and Inventories, April 1996. 4 pp. \$1.50.\* [FastFax]
- CB/96. Advance Monthly Retail Sales, May 1996. 4 pp. \$1.\* [FastFax]

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- C20/96-4. Housing Starts, April 1996. 16 pp. \$2. Cite List ID "CRHS" and month and year when ordering from GPO. [FastFax]
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  [FastFax]

#### **Current Foreign Trade Reports**

FT 900(95). U.S. International Trade in Goods and Services: Annual Revision for 1995. 58 pp. \$30. Available from Foreign Trade Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233; telephone 301-457-3041. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census.

- FT 900/96-4. U.S. International Trade in Goods and Services, April 1996. 46 pp. \$15. (Includes the FT 900 Supplement.) Available from Foreign Trade Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233; telephone 301-457-3041. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census. [FastFax]
- FT 925/96-3. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Exports, General Imports, and Imports for Consumption, Standard International Trade Classification Revision 3, Country by Commodity, March 1996. 172 pp. \$34. GPO Cat.No. C3.164:FT925-96/(specify month).
- TQ 985/95-Q4. United States
  Foreign Trade: U.S. Waterborne
  Exports and General Imports,
  October December 1995.
  40 pp. \$30. Available from
  Foreign Trade Division, telephone
  301-457-2227. Make checks
  payable to Commerce-Census.

#### **Current Industrial Reports**

- M3-1(96)-4. Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories, and Orders, April 1996. 12 pp. \$1.75.\*
- MA200(94)-1. Pollution Abatement Costs and Expenditures: 1994. 116 pp. \$5.50.\*

### General and Reference



**Census and You**, Volume 31, No. 5. May 1996. 12 pp. \$2.\*

Monthly Product Announcement (MPA), June 1996. 12 pp. No charge. Order from Customer Services.

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#### Consolidated Federal Funds Report: Fiscal Year 1995 (CFFR)

CFFR/95. County Areas. 114 pp. \$7. Order from Customer Services, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census or call 301-457-4100 to charge to VISA or Master Card.

FES/95. Federal Expenditures by State for Fiscal Year: 1995. 80 pp. \$5.50. Order from Customer Services, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census or call 301-457-4100 to charge to VISA or Master Card.

#### Housing



#### **Current Housing Reports**

### H-170. American Housing Survey for the [name] Metropolitan Area in 1994

- Anaheim-Santa Ana, CA. 232 pp. \$11.\*
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- 44. Buffalo, NY. 232 pp. \$11.\*

#### **Population**



#### **Current Population Reports**

#### P-60. Consumer Income

191. A Brief Look at Postwar U.S. Income Inequality. 4 pp. \$1. GPO S/N 803-005-30038-2.NOTE—See Selected Abstracts on page 5.

### P-70. Household Economic Studies

54. Dynamics of Economic Well-Being: Health Insurance, 1992 to 1993. Who Loses Coverage and for How Long? 6 pp. \$1. GPO S/N 803-044-00045-7.

NOTE-See Selected Abstracts on page 5.

Population of States and Counties of the United States: 1790 to 1990. 236 pp. \$35 plus handling. Available from National Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161; telephone 703-487-4650. Order number PB96-119060.

NOTE-In addition, a diskette version is available from NTIS for \$35 plus handling. Order number PB96-500525.

Make checks payable to NTIS.

### Technical Documentation

Federal Assistance Award Data
System (FAADS), First Quarter
1996 Technical Documentation.
44 pp. \$10. Order from Customer Services, Bureau of the
Census, Washington, DC 20233.
Make checks payable to Commerce-Census or call 301-4574100 to charge to VISA or
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Data files also are offered on compact disc–read-only memory (CD-ROM), a 4 3/4-inch laser disc. The price for a mass-produced CD-ROM, prepared for popular files, generally is \$150.

CD-ROM's also can be prepared on request for other data files otherwise available only on tape reel or cartridge. The cost for such CD's is the same as the cost for the tape file. The CD files are ASCII copies in the same format as on tape, and they are not accompanied by software. Since the discs are specially prepared in response to customers' requests, orders take about three to four weeks. For further information about this service, contact Customer Services.

Files available on diskette ("floppies") for IBM and compatible microcomputers also are listed.

An ever increasing variety of data files and product information (including this publication) can be accessed via the Internet, CENDATA M, or directly through the bulletin board Census-Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) Electronic Forum. (See "How to Order" on page 6 for more information.)

Some files are exclusively online, such as those listed in the "Online Data" section, below.

Technical documentation, included with each file order, also generally is available separately. The price varies.

Free *Data Developments* booklets provide brief descriptions of most files. They may be requested from Customer Services.

#### **Tapes**

Federal Assistance Award Data System (FAADS), First Quarter 1996. \$250. Order from Customer Services.

#### **CD-ROM Discs**

CD-EC 92-1H. Economic Census 1992, Volume 1, Report Series. \$150. (Supersedes discs 1A-1G.) This disc plus the two remaining discs in the series may be purchased as a subscription for \$300. Order from Customer Services.

CDEX-96-3. U.S. Exports of Merchandise-International Harmonized System Commodity Classification (HS-Based Schedule B) by Country, by Customs District, March 1996. \$150. Order from Customer Services.

CDEX-91-95. U.S. Exports History-International Harmonized System Commodity Classification (HS-Based Schedule B) by Country, by Customs District, Historical Summary, 1991-1995. \$150. Order from Customer Services.

CDIM-96-3. U.S. Imports of Merchandise–International Harmonized System Commodity
Classification (HTSUSA) by
Country, by Customs District,
March 1996. \$150. Order from
Customer Services.

CDIM-91-95. U.S. Imports History– International Harmonized System Commodity Classification (HTSUSA) by Country, by Customs District, Historical Summary, 1991-1995. \$150. Order from Customer Services.

#### Microcomputer Diskettes

1995 Annual Building Permit Data on Diskette. \$70. Order from: Manufacturing and Construction Division, Building Permits Branch, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233-6600. Telephone 301-457-1321. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census.

May 1996 and Historical Building Permits Data by State, Metropolitan Area, and Individual Permit-Issuing Places. Number of diskettes varies. [CENDATA] For ordering information, contact: Manufacturing and Construction Division, Building Permits Branch, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233-6600. Telephone 301-457-1321. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census.

Quarterly Financial Report (QFR) for Manufacturing, Mining, and Trade Corporations, First Quarter 1996. 1 diskette (3.5 inch double-sided/high density). \$66. Order from Customer Services.

#### **Online Data**

A growing number of data files are accessible online via the Internet, CENDATA™, and the Census-BEA Electronic Forum. Check these sources to determine what they offer. (For more information, see page 6.)

In this section we list only online products which were previously published but now are released online.

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Current Industrial Reports (CIR's) are available online. Most CIR's also are available in full or in part via fax, through our FastFax service. (Charge: \$2.50 per minute while ordering; call 1-900-555-2FAX.) To arrange a fax subscription to a CIR series, call 301-457-4100.

Paper copy of the CIR's may be obtained by special arrangement with Manufacturing and Construction Division: Robert Reinard or Nathaniel Shelton (301-457-4651) for Series 20-23 and 31, food, textiles, and apparel; Mike Zampogna (301-457-4810) for Series 24-30 and 32, wood and chemical products; Kenneth Hansen (301-457-4755) for Series 33-35, metals and industrial machinery; and Raphael Corrado (301-457-4817) for Series 36-39, electrical and transportation.

M20A. Flour Milling Products, April 1996

M20J. Fats and Oils–Oilseed
Crushings, May 1996
M22P. Consumption on the Cotton
System and Stocks, May 1996
M28AT. Production and Stocks of
Titanium Dioxide, May 1996
M32G. Glass Containers, April 1996
M33D. Aluminum Ingot and Mill
Products, Apri 1996
M33J. Inventories of Steel Producing Mills, April 1996
M37G. Civil Aircraft and Aircraft
Engines, April 1996

M37L. Truck Trailers, April 1996

### SELECTED ABSTRACTS

This section features abstracts for various products released during the month or previously released products of wide interest.

### A Brief Look at Postwar U.S. Income Inequality (P60-191)

Data time span—1967 through 1994, with some data from 1947.

Geographic areas covered—United States.

Subject content—This report measures income inequality from several perspectives. The report traces the concentration of income among families and households and compares household income especially for "quintiles" (or fifths) of the population. Charts and text contrast, for example, the top and bottom fifth of the households in their share of the total income and their average incomes. It also compares incomes with the poverty level, in that way adjusting for number of family members.

In addition, the report notes the impact of other considerations such as taxes and noncash government benefits and discusses some causes of income inequality.

GPO S/N 803-005-30038-2. 4 pp. 1996. \$1.

# Dynamics of Economic Well-Being: Health Insurance, 1992 to 1993: Who Loses Coverage for How Long? (P70-54)

Data time span-1992 and 1993.

Geographic areas covered—United States, with limited data for regions.

Subject content—This report highlights, in concise booklet style, the extent to which people are covered by health insurance for 28 months beginning early 1992. Charts and text show social and economic characteristics for persons without health insurance and also by the median number of months that people lacked that insurance.

The social characteristics include sex, race, Hispanic origin, age group, and educational attainment. The charts also show metropolitan residence and identified the percentage in poverty.

In addition, the text also links health coverage with employment status.

GPO S/N 803-044-00045-7. 6 pp. 1996. \$1.

#### LOOKING AHEAD



The products listed in this section are among those now in preparation and likely to be available by the time you receive this issue. We have included prices and stock numbers (S/N's) for printed reports if this information has already been furnished by GPO. Ordering information for all the products listed here will be provided in future issues of MPA, or call 301-457-4100.

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#### **Publications**

#### 1992 Census of Agriculture

AC92-S. Volume 2, Subject Series 2. Coverage Evaluation. \$5.50. S/N003-024-08802-9.

#### 1992 Census of Transportation, Communications, and Utilities

TC92-CF. 1993 Commodity Flow Survey

Single copy free. Contact: Commodity Flow Survey Branch, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233; telephone 301-457-2788 or 2114.

Delaware. 84 pp. Georgia. 84 pp. North Carolina. 84 pp. Oklahoma. 84 pp. South Carolina. 84 pp. Tennessee. 84 pp. Virginia. 84 pp. West Virginia. 84 pp.

#### 1992 Economic Censuses

MB92-2. Survey of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises—Hispanic. \$12.50. Order from Customer Services, Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC 20233. Make checks payable to Commerce-Census or call 301-457-4100 to charge to VISA or Master Card.

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BT-94. 1994 Motor Freight Transportation and Warehousing Survey. \$3. Order from Customer Services.

#### **Current Population Reports**

P-70. Household Economic Studies 55. Dynamics of Economic Well-Being: Poverty, 1992 to 1993

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FTP: ftp ftp.census.gov

For our Internet electronic subscription service, CenStats, which offers all printed reports issued this year and more, the URL is http://www.census.gov/ftp/pub/prod/www.

For information about accessing data through the Electronic Forum and CENDATA (which is available only through CompuServe and DIALOG), call 301-457-1242. For technical questions, you may e-mail to webmaster@census.gov.

#### Microfiche

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